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Counsel,

We disagree with each of Microsoft's baseless assertions and threats. The institution of an IPR does not require dismissal as Microsoft argues, nor is there anything "exceptional" in continuing to assert a patent while an IPR is pending and before any final decision. Doing so is common and routine. Plaintiffs accordingly are not dismissing their allegations concerning the '442.

Regards,

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Counsel,

Please see the attached correspondence regarding this matter.

Thank You,  
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